



Update Sunnyvale

News From Your City Manager

July 2, 2020 – Your weekly source for coronavirus support and service updates

[State Closes Bars and Indoor Businesses in Santa Clara County](#)

Effective immediately, the California Department of Public Health is requiring counties—like Santa Clara County—that have been on the County Monitoring List for at least three days to move certain sectors outdoors or close. These closures will remain in place for at least three weeks. The following industries will be required to shut down unless they can be modified to operate outside or by pick-up.

1. Dine-in restaurants
2. Wineries and tasting rooms
3. Movie theaters
4. Family entertainment centers (for examples: bowling alleys, miniature golf, batting cages and arcades)
5. Zoos and museums
6. Cardrooms

Bars must close all operations even if they are operating outdoors. Visit the [State COVID-19 data monitoring webpage](#) to learn more about what can be open in Santa Clara County and other counties.

[Santa Clara County Guidance for Safe Reopening of Schools](#)

On June 30, the Santa Clara County Public Health Department and the County Office of Education held a press conference to announce the release of guidance for local K-12 public and private schools to plan for the safe reopening of schools for the 2020-21 school year. Public Health Department guidance identifies requirements and recommendations to protect students and staff from COVID-19 transmission in school settings. Whether schools can move forward with reopening for in-person instruction in the fall will depend on the containment of COVID-19 in the weeks ahead. Prevention measures focus on the following key strategies:

1. Minimizing the number of people who come into contact with each other.
2. Maximizing the physical distance between people.
3. Reducing the time that people spend in close proximity to others.
4. Measures to minimize dispersion of droplets and aerosols.

The full guidance and additional information for schools is available at sccgov.org/cv19schools.

Free COVID-19 Testing at Murphy Park

The City of Sunnyvale partnered with the Santa Clara County Public Health Department to open a pop-up COVID-19 testing site at Murphy Park. Testing took place June 30 to July 2. Thanks to county and city employees, as well as the City's Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) volunteers, approximately 550 tests were administered per day.

Pop-up testing is open to all ages, and does not require an appointment, identification or insurance coverage.

For additional information on pop-up test sites and locations, please visit the [Public Health Department's FREE COVID-19 Pop-up Testing Sites webpage](#). To learn more about the City of Sunnyvale CERT program, please visit our [Emergency Preparedness webpage](#).



CITY SERVICE UPDATES

Document Shredding and Household Hazardous Waste Events Canceled

The Document Shredding Event on July 11 and Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Sunnyvale Drop-off on July 18 have been canceled. HHW drop-off is available in San Jose; appointments can be made at HHW.org. For document shredding needs, below is a list of open locations that are available to help:

- UPS Store, 1030 E. El Camino Real, Sunnyvale
- FedEx Office Print & Ship Center, 560 E. El Camino Real Suite B, Sunnyvale
- Office Depot, 910 El Monte Ave, Mountain View

OTHER NEWS

NOVA Presentation at Statewide Conference

On June 24, NOVA was invited to present at the California Workforce Association annual WorkCON conference on an innovative collaboration with the San Francisco Airport (FlySFO), the San Francisco Office of Economic and Workforce Development and local labor unions. During the COVID-19 pandemic, NOVA has been conducting virtual webinars for employers and their employees who have lost their jobs as a result of layoffs and furloughs. One industry that has been particularly impacted is the airline industry and the airports that serve them. For example, FlySFO has experienced a 95 percent reduction in flights since the COVID-19 outbreak, from 60,000 passengers to 4,000 passengers, and a 70 percent reduction of its workforce impacting 33,000 workers. In response, NOVA has partnered with FlySFO to jointly conduct weekly webinars for FlySFO employees to assist with their reemployment search. This venture has been so successful that NOVA was asked to present on its tools for success at this virtual conference. To learn more about NOVA, visit the NOVA website, email info@novaworks.org or call 408-730-7232.

SUNNYVALE IN THE NEWS

[Sunnyvale Chief Explains The City's Unique Duo Role Use Of Safety Officers](#)

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RESOURCES

Sunnyvale

- **City Service Impacts** – Before calling or visiting a City facility, check the [City COVID-19 webpage](#).
- **Sunnyvale Serves Phoneline** – If you need assistance related to the shelter-in-place order, call the City at 408-730-7360, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., or submit inquiries online at [Access Sunnyvale](#).
- **Sunnyvale Community Services** – SCS helps low-income families and seniors with financial aid, food distribution and case management. [Learn about services and how to donate](#).
- **Support Sunnyvale Businesses** – Support Sunnyvale restaurants and businesses providing essential services. Find store listings and information on the new [Sunnyvale Business webpage](#).
- **Volunteering** – Want to help during this difficult time? Fill out a [City Volunteer Interest Form](#). We'll match your preferences with opportunities as they become available.
- **Entertainment** – Find creative ideas and helpful tips while sheltering in place by following us on Facebook: [@sunnyvalelibrary](#); [@SunnyvaleRecreation](#); [@SunnyvaleEnvironmentalServices](#)

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- [2-1-1 phone and text services](#) are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, in 150 languages to answer your questions about COVID-19.
- **Meals and Groceries** –
 - [Second Harvest of Silicon Valley](#): Call 800-984-3663 or text GETFOOD to 408-455-5181 to request assistance with food resources.
 - [Senior Nutrition Program](#): Serves adults aged 60+, their spouses, and disabled adults living with older adults. Following a take-out model at most locations.
- **Housing** – If you are at risk of losing your housing or missing an upcoming rent payment, contact the [Homelessness Prevention System](#) to request financial assistance and supportive services.
- **Employment** – [File a claim](#) with the California Employment Development Department if you are unable to work, have reduced hours or are caring for an ill or quarantined family member.
- **Give Blood** – The Red Cross needs healthy, eligible people to give blood or platelets. Visit [RedCrossBlood.org](#) or call 800-RED-CROSS (800-733-2767).
- **Avoid Scams** – The Federal Trade Commission has [tips to protect yourself](#) and a way to report scams.